



# DECLARATION - USA PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed

and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY  
WIDE VIEWING ANGLE POLARIZING FILM AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY  
WIDE VIEWING ANGLE POLARIZING ADHESIVE FILM

the specification of which is attached hereto, was filed on January 14, 2002 as  
 Serial Application No. 10/047,528;

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified  
 specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as  
 defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56;

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d) of any  
 foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any  
 foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on  
 which priority is claimed:

## PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

No.: 2001-014598

Country: Japan

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Priority  
Claimed  
 Yes

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all  
 statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these  
 statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are  
 punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States  
 Code and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any  
 patent issued thereon.

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